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Friend May

Yours of 25th Came duly to hand, and would say that O.J. sent me a long letter from Judge Hutchinson of Vermont, which I copied but did not copy the address and did not notice that it was addressed to you, if it was, I am glad of Prof. Russells testimony which I have added to my list,

I received yesterday the enclosed from Senator Dawes, which is so good and satisfactory that I wish you to read it and if you think best forward it to Johnson, for him to return to me. You can with the others. when the time Comes.

I have as I have told you written to several to whom I have sent the Review, but this is the only reply yet received. though I shall hope for more, and shall still write some more letters to some of the prominent names on Thayers list, as I get time as I send the Reviews to them.

But this letter of Senator Dawes is amply sufficient to pay for the whole enterprise even if I get no more, I shall write to him, and ask him to publish it,

Truly

Joseph A. Howland

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